

Mr. Hill moved to refer to committee on Education.

Mr. Sykes, to amend by reference to Judiciary Committee. mittee.

Mr. Sparrow moved to postpone to Wednesday and print , and motion prevailed.

Motion of Mr. Stanford, to suspend the rules to take up bill creating county of Pamlico was lost.

On motion of Mr. Kelsey, the rules were suspended and H. R. No. 135, was taken up and referred to committee on internal improvements.

A message was received from the Senate transmitting and asking concurrence in the passage of S. B. No. 249, for election of tax collector of Lincoln ; S. B. No. 19, in relation to salaries and fees of State officers ; S. B. No. 265, for relief of Penitentiary ; S. B. No. 266, empowering United States government to purchase and hold lands for purposes of Lighthouse ; also that Senate had concurred in House amendment to H. B. 105, to amend chapter 167, laws of 1868-'69.

On motion of Mr. Jordan, the rules were suspended and S. B. No. 265, for relief of Penitentiary, was taken up.

Mr. Jordan moved to amend by striking out \$6000 and inserting \$15000. Amendment adopted and bill passed second and third readings, and engrossment ordered at once, and a message was sent transmitting the same, and asking concurrence of Senate in the amendment.

On motion of Mr. Sparrow, the rules were suspended, and S. B. "authorizing the purchase of Lighthouse site by United States government" was taken up, and passed second and third readings, and ordered enrolled.

Mr. Welch, by consent, introduced a resolution "authorizing the Governor to offer reward of \$5,000 for arrest of M. S. Littlefield."

Mr. Robinson moved to amend, by striking out \$5,000 and insert \$1,000. Mr. Grayson, to amend amendment by inserting \$500. Amendment to amendment did not prevail.

Mr. Robinson's amendment did not prevail, when Mr. War-